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For: PHARMACEUTICAL COMPOSITION BASED

ON IDAZOXAN, SALTS, HYDRATES OR

POLYMORPHS THEREOF

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AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION

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INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

In response to the Office Action dated January 18, 2007, please amend the aboveidentified U.S. patent application as follows

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 4 of this paper.